## SB 697 -- MEMORIAL HIGHWAY

CO-SPONSORS: Nodler, Loudon, Childers, Coleman, Bray, Dolan, Cauthorn, Russell, Clemens, Gross, Steelman, Jacob, Champion, Days, Bartle, Kennedy, Klindt, Wheeler, Scott, Gibbons (Ruestman)

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "do pass by consent" by the Committee on Transportation and Motor Vehicles by a vote of 20 to 0.

This bill designates a portion of Interstate 44 within Jasper and Newton counties as the "George Washington Carver Memorial Highway."

FISCAL NOTE: Estimated Cost to Road Fund of \$844 in FY 2004, \$0 in FY 2005, \$0 in the FY 2006.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say the bill will help identify the national monument and also give recognition to George Washington Carver.

Testifying for the bill was Senator Nodler.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.

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